



**DCJ-003-1194003**

Seat No. \_\_\_\_\_

**M. Sc. (Sem. IV) (CBCS) (W.E.F. 2016) Examination**

**July - 2022**

**Microbiology : MICRO-421**

*(Biomolecular Engineering)*

**Faculty Code : 003**

**Subject Code : 1194003**

Time :  $2\frac{1}{2}$  Hours]

[Total Marks : 70

**1** Answer the following (Any seven out of Ten, each of 02 marks) **14**

- (1) What are intermolecular forces present in protein structure?
- (2) What types of forces give rise to quaternary structures?
- (3) Why is a peptide bond planar?
- (4) What is a beta sheet in protein structure?
- (5) What causes protein folding?
- (6) What does a protein engineer do?
- (7) What is bioinformatics ? What is Its role in biological research?
- (8) What are green catalysts?
- (9) What is pyrosequencing?
- (10) What is molecular tagging?

**2** Answer the following (Any two out of three, each of 07 marks) **14**

- (a) What is the difference between the alpha-helix and beta-pleated sheet of protein?
- (b) Write a note on the secondary and tertiary structure of a protein.
- (c) Which factors decide the catalytic function of protein?

**3** Answer the following (a & b - Both are compulsory, each of 07 marks) **14**

- (a) What is protein folding, and why is it important?
- (b) Write a note on molecular chaperones.

**OR**

**3** Answer the following (a & b - Both are compulsory, each of 07 marks) **14**

- (a) What are the steps and strategies for protein engineering?
- (b) What is in vitro protein folding? What is its biological significance?

**4** Answer the following : **14**

- (a) Write a note on the commercial ramification of recombinant catalysts.
- (b) Write a note on strategies for primer designing.

**5** Answer the following (Any two out of four, each of 07 marks) **14**

- (a) How do metabolic pathways evolve?
- (b) What is PCR ? Briefly discuss its variants.
- (c) Write a note on next generation sequencing
- (d) What is molecular cloning? Describe in a nutshell.

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